

Table I.B.3.a(2000) Percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2000

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	90,727,377	11.5%	8.4%	13.6%	18.3%	48.2%	26.6%	73.4%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	880,610	24.7%	16.8%	14.9%	12.2%	31.4%	50.2%	49.8%
Mining and manufacturing	16,386,659	3.2%	4.7%	13.6%	24.0%	54.5%	14.6%	85.4%
Construction	5,816,219	25.6%	20.3%	26.1%	19.1%	8.9%	60.3%	39.7%
Utilities and transp.	4,204,492	8.4%	3.3%	8.0%	13.4%	66.9%	15.3%	84.7%
Wholesale trade	5,585,365	10.4%	11.1%	16.9%	20.3%	41.4%	30.0%	70.0%
Fin. svcs. and real est.	10,136,358	8.3%	4.1%	7.5%	12.7%	67.5%	16.0%	84.0%
Retail trade	10,271,576	12.6%	9.8%	15.3%	12.9%	49.4%	29.7%	70.3%
Professional services	19,595,941	14.6%	8.8%	10.8%	18.5%	47.2%	28.4%	71.6%
Other Services	17,844,035	12.8%	9.1%	15.3%	19.5%	43.3%	29.5%	70.5%
Unknown	6,120	92.0%	8.0% *	*****	*****	*****	100.0%	*****
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	69,505,313	9.1%	8.6%	14.5%	17.2%	50.6%	25.0%	75.0%
For profit, unincorporated	7,552,364	41.0%	12.3%	12.0%	17.5%	17.3%	59.5%	40.5%
Nonprofit	9,993,774	10.2%	7.1%	13.1%	30.3%	39.2%	23.1%	76.9%
Unknown	3,675,926	0.4%	0.0% *	0.4% *	7.7% *	91.5%	0.4%	99.6%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	6,559,512	43.4%	17.4%	17.4%	11.9%	9.8%	71.0%	29.0%
5-9 years	5,675,223	28.0%	18.1%	21.5%	20.5%	11.8%	57.7%	42.3%
10-19 years	14,140,775	20.5%	15.7%	22.7%	21.3%	19.8%	47.8%	52.2%
20 or more years	41,580,457	7.5%	7.7%	15.9%	25.8%	43.0%	22.5%	77.5%
Unknown	22,771,410	0.0% *	0.1% *	0.6%	3.8%	95.5%	0.5%	99.5%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	57,386,480	0.2%	1.2%	5.0%	18.6%	74.9%	3.4%	96.6%
1 location only	33,340,897	31.0%	20.9%	28.3%	17.6%	2.2%	66.7%	33.3%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	871,662	8.7%	12.3%	19.1%	19.3%	40.7%	32.1%	67.9%
25-49%	3,196,663	12.2%	9.0%	17.0%	16.2%	45.5%	29.0%	71.0%
50-74%	8,887,052	16.4%	9.7%	13.0%	16.4%	44.5%	33.0%	67.0%
75% or more	77,771,999	11.0%	8.2%	13.5%	18.5%	48.8%	25.8%	74.2%
Union presence								
No union employees	71,376,240	13.7%	10.0%	15.6%	19.5%	41.2%	31.6%	68.4%
Has union employees	14,793,584	2.7%	2.4%	7.0%	15.2%	72.7%	8.1%	91.9%
Unknown	4,557,553	5.2%	3.1%	3.7%	9.0%	79.0%	9.9%	90.1%
Percent low-wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	15,246,869	17.9%	12.5%	22.9%	25.9%	20.7%	41.5%	58.5%
Less than 50% low wage	45,802,484	15.6%	12.1%	18.2%	23.7%	30.4%	36.7%	63.3%
Unknown	29,678,024	1.9% *	0.6%	1.7%	5.9%	89.9%	3.5%	96.5%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 2000 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.

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Percents may not add to 100% because of rounding.

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** Definitions of industry groups and low-wage employees changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to prior year's estimates. See Technical Appendix

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Table I.B.3.a(2000) Standard error for percent of number of full-time private-sector employees by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2000

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10 - 24 employees	25 - 99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	1, 478, 284	0. 39%	0. 14%	0. 34%	0. 61%	1. 07%	0. 50%	0. 50%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	132, 991	3. 60%	3. 41%	2. 76%	2. 24%	6. 61%	6. 34%	6. 34%
Mining and manufacturing	480, 584	0. 39%	0. 35%	0. 54%	1. 08%	1. 64%	1. 26%	1. 26%
Construction	233, 436	1. 15%	1. 50%	1. 35%	1. 98%	1. 97%	1. 33%	1. 33%
Utilities and transp.	367, 672	2. 09%	0. 62%	0. 83%	2. 80%	3. 51%	1. 88%	1. 88%
Wholesale trade	352, 756	0. 84%	0. 76%	1. 84%	2. 37%	3. 26%	1. 97%	1. 97%
Fin. svcs. and real est.	373, 522	0. 65%	0. 42%	0. 87%	1. 74%	2. 37%	1. 25%	1. 25%
Retail trade	418, 402	0. 32%	0. 51%	0. 96%	0. 99%	1. 57%	1. 12%	1. 12%
Professional services	745, 851	1. 41%	0. 66%	0. 72%	0. 66%	2. 10%	1. 68%	1. 68%
Other Services	443, 611	0. 89%	0. 63%	0. 63%	1. 75%	2. 34%	1. 10%	1. 10%
Unknown	2, 801	16. 95%	10. 02% *	*****	*****	*****	14. 91%	*****
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	1, 299, 232	0. 40%	0. 23%	0. 48%	0. 61%	1. 18%	0. 59%	0. 59%
For profit, unincorporated	317, 912	2. 71%	0. 95%	1. 42%	1. 29%	2. 44%	2. 71%	2. 71%
Nonprofit	268, 519	1. 08%	0. 45%	0. 69%	2. 29%	2. 41%	1. 34%	1. 34%
Unknown	302, 470	0. 10%	0. 03% *	0. 19% *	2. 43% *	2. 57%	0. 09%	0. 09%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	256, 397	2. 00%	1. 41%	1. 91%	0. 92%	1. 73%	1. 55%	1. 55%
5-9 years	228, 483	1. 40%	1. 36%	1. 41%	2. 21%	1. 66%	1. 81%	1. 81%
10-19 years	348, 953	0. 92%	0. 81%	1. 24%	1. 55%	0. 93%	1. 02%	1. 02%
20 or more years	1, 191, 509	0. 40%	0. 16%	0. 44%	0. 88%	1. 33%	0. 52%	0. 52%
Unknown	905, 661	0. 01% *	0. 04% *	0. 12%	0. 54%	0. 54%	0. 15%	0. 15%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	1, 664, 334	0. 03%	0. 12%	0. 30%	0. 89%	0. 97%	0. 15%	0. 15%
1 location only	458, 611	0. 65%	0. 44%	0. 51%	0. 84%	0. 23%	0. 73%	0. 73%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	68, 169	1. 04%	1. 53%	1. 27%	2. 62%	3. 20%	2. 48%	2. 48%
25-49%	107, 946	0. 44%	0. 96%	1. 11%	1. 32%	1. 98%	1. 34%	1. 34%
50-74%	366, 042	0. 87%	0. 45%	1. 09%	1. 07%	2. 26%	1. 24%	1. 24%
75% or more	1, 343, 021	0. 44%	0. 19%	0. 43%	0. 72%	1. 16%	0. 56%	0. 56%
Union presence								
No union employees	1, 053, 746	0. 39%	0. 19%	0. 44%	0. 58%	1. 11%	0. 46%	0. 46%
Has union employees	539, 150	0. 66%	0. 18%	0. 60%	1. 57%	2. 21%	1. 01%	1. 01%
Unknown	443, 117	0. 41%	0. 72%	1. 08%	1. 99%	2. 58%	0. 71%	0. 71%
Percent low-wage employees **								
50% or more low wage	360, 592	0. 80%	0. 49%	1. 22%	0. 81%	1. 21%	1. 50%	1. 50%
Less than 50% low wage	817, 314	0. 46%	0. 34%	0. 50%	1. 00%	1. 15%	0. 43%	0. 43%
Unknown	1, 009, 280	0. 60% *	0. 07%	0. 15%	0. 44%	0. 81%	0. 61%	0. 61%

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